

(Question now asked:

Was JFK bluffing in July, ²⁸1961?

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If, instead of Wall, SU had blockaded
or separated Berlin?

See reaction to July 28 speech, in US!

Shultz debate, perceptions!

What if Dallas and the had been
bluffing in 1955, 1958 in Stunts?

Did the threaten?
YES

or blat in 1953 in Korea?

Did best threaten?

best in 1946 in Iran?

?

and this bluff had been called?

(i) SU or CC plays chicken
like JFK and K in Cuba?

(ii) SU or CC takes the political
mean?

Lebanon/Kuwait 1958?

Were moves good?

(see Cuba-th!)

C-I: K thinks

How low (give if)?

were total bluffs

in 1961!

(AND SUEZ, 1956)

(What if SU had had the priority
SU channel,

or the ^{AFCIN} superiority USAF channel
(SAC, more)

Would they have been as cautious
as they were?

(Note: they would have been,
must have been, entirely different
from what they were in fact:

(they would have had to have
been more like us:)

(Page: We have not the enemy, and
they is us"

(But: the external (real)
enemy was not like us, after all.

(But assumption over-simplifying!)
(minor-image of SAC: NOT)

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Was JFR bluffing in 1961?

Adams (Borenson) [are you
DBCLASS.? *
ACHESON REPORT?

[her long speech (from Hammond?!)
NSC-68 on H-bomb
+ on A-bomb? massive retaliation?

Adams: "I'll no one your decision"

(But if decision is to go to nukes,
Why not tell SU, for deterrence?

(Fear of Sov, US public, Western?

That would be just like K in '62
- SU in Dr. Stroganov

- SA in 1991

(+ the SA bluff in 2002-3! ^{for file}

(CIA, B, C, some SA had some WMD's!
Surprise! (to all but
Rothman)

(No trip. for planting!)

What did Blitz really
expect to fail, in late 2002-03? (surprise to me!)

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Chimer did play chicken in 1958!
(US "won" - did not back down;

but if ...

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Q: What was JFK "private decision"
in 1961?

Ans, from W. Cuba - I, VN '61

(RELATE TIMING TO

BERLIN '61

Forest Group

(Wavy all:)

6 in)

see my misadventure in books, fall 1961!
in VN

Berlin game, Milford

(note "RAND" / Region from on Berlin / ES

me)

h.s., WWR (Entom?)

TRINKL, McGARVEY? (ant)

"E66"

connection to me

+ Dim '63

see northwards 1962 - date?!

debaron (Kurent) - Janion COOKED

Cuba I + II / VN
Berlin

} discharge of (threats and) crises

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Answer: (almost? or Fully) Certainly
 JFK was bluffing in 1961 on Berlin.

and K was, too (aside from Wall)

Yet: not was not sure,

or low!

any more than in 1962?

when both were bluffing!

(and the next happened is 1963, November²²,
 when JFK went to back off in VN

(like Eisenhower in Aug 8,
and is CW, was (CPS?) 1945!

(Eisenhower
 might have been by-passed:

nothing was sure to be
sure (if sure Aug)

us. How

or "about-sure"

\ PPI another Forward Amp!

Tenri July '64

later?

Bring new posts of history to bear
on "What ifs...?" \$

Hyp: VFK did mean to break off in
Comm. Berlin '61!

But: how soon?

Hyp: Not before check! (as in C-15,
1962)

OR SUN,
1961-63
(Discont!)

= Emperor
1665

A-bomb
could not have
brought sum!

(What if K had been deposed (if any)
in Oct '62?

as in '64! (or 6 in 1991!

(Possibility? from K?

How soon was his grip
on sum in '62?

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20: What if Berlin roadblock had been
tested?

1) Was it prob(0) that JFK
would have gone to "dno use of
A-bomb"

if US probers had been
captured or destroyed?

Co, 0 that K would have gone that
far? Perhaps, (US battleship;
beyond

or, surrounded them, like C blockade?

HAR?

Was it 0 that JFK would have knocked
down Wall - AS URGED BY SOME! (Jag?)

WHAT OF N? (real count in '60!)
see HCC to me/Council

see Hum "Central" of war in 1960-61!
(& Stemmen)

my comm

LACK OF PAC'S (Real issue is 1958-62!

on Hum, Turkish weapons
on US too was

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(See Chicken in VA, 1963

Dir willing (?) to negotiate
JFK offers him!

"Brothers"

? JCS/CIA offers JFK?

Douglas (PDS; RFK?) buying:

JCS/CIA deal to JFK

what JFK deal to Dir

in the same month!

For the same reason: PDS
suspected of big willing to deal with
Coss!

(Does Douglas, as other conspiring & knows,
make the point?: ~~Q1~~, look at
simultaneous JFK plot vs. Dir?

(Which of didn't event?

When do Coss. TS date buying
of JFK corp plotting? "Level Oswald"?

(JFK-VN corp: Aug '63)

Wouldn't it want to purchase

Dir corp ?!

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Sh see Chicks in VN in 64-65!

Compare to Cuba in Cuba, Jan-Oct 1,
1962!

Forest Map:
Phobos
Mentray

Mangrove

E. prairie

(See Date ?!)

Amesian planning (McN) (Hershey)

hsc planning

PSALM

(successful SU money)

K threats

JFR threats

Northwoods

U-2

de-briefing of Cuban refugees

Florida Station

(see low-level initiatives in VN:

Pink Half '64

Plinker '65

= Cuban AA, SU-SAM, '62'

(Ching deployment on Quing, 88

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What if:

Center alternative futures/scenarios/evolutions

were closed the alternatives known at
the time

or realized later

or perceived earlier

- There were strong, high advocates of
an alternative with USG

(or, Japan High Command
Gen, Hany 1944: camp
1938 "

- USG 1945

(offer to Emperor

- alt. to war of A-bomb

vs. Hiroshima

see "Virtual JFK"
file, March 09?

(what if: Kyoto?
Tokyo?)

see JCS in Oct '62

JCS = 1961 (Korea, C-5, VN)
1962 C-5 Berlin
1963 VN, C-5
1964 VN
1965 VN
(Hohmann? not a
real alternative?)

(V?)

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(Dunn - target at start (5:30?))

Was it infeasible ($p=0$)
that JER could be led to war
as was over Berlin in 1961 (or 1962)?

Might he have crossed that threshold?

(are SU able in 1962?)

What if he had?

Would SU ^{1K} then have certainly been
down?

Europe was hostage to US FS
or EU!

AWW articles in _____ makes this clear:
the CIA under-estimates of SU MRBMs/IRBMs!
+ CIA ignorance of error (as McDowell)
(like SU survey in '62 in Cuba,
- on missiles, warheads, (deliberation: FRUGs)
- and on numbers of SU troops! -
this shows, ^{+CIA} any - they could have been wrong,
USAF right (+ Helms!)

BUT does AEW draw this inference?

Did HK or RAND help conduct

ANY CONSULTATION. Even as hostage?

WITH EURS?

see letter / HST
150!

HK died — but drew our willingness
to sacrifice it!

Did Kagan FS plan?

	<u>ASR Kagan</u>	Kaplan
WWK died	<u>hst?</u>	(Reskin)
Wden	Enthorn	
McN	Trill / McGowen	
JFK		
Rosen		
McG B		

(Was Latham involved?)

see above. i.e. This: Ask if USC would have (certainly)
been detected

by prospect of long Europe?
~~High~~ None

— Was this convinced?

(By "RAND": No

By JCS?

NESC? (Marshall)

(WHO WERE
"Marshall profits"?)

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see SU Dead Hand

see Harmon on LOW!

Russian Dead Hand now!

What is US status now of

- Dalgatia

- Har- Tigger

- False claims, lately

(Russian, lately?!)

sleep at 1AM

7AM

(sleep till 10?) (11?)

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How reliable were theories of LSR,
"We also," "Shot across the bow"

is limiting conflict?

Pass. of Loe?

see HK, see ladder

(RT)
(Honor of C-II, to add to post as well as both
crises:

see Ant of
Coercion

1) One or both could mean to bluff, totally

2) Ant, pressures to fly chicken - to
keep meaning the bluff

TCS, HK

("tighten the screws"
even,
over weapons are fired

3) High chance that Loe will occur,
ANYWAY

RT Honor: Loe can be controlled, surprisingly

(see CBJ et al efforts;

N failure to increase it beyond
limits - WHY?

(see Chamfelter

TACK TO?

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USG should vibration to solidify
Europe, at least

(as NK completed - though
not by calculation ("only to base, 10M...")
or, to kill —
or to kill all! ^{craft,} (atmos. ig.)

but of ignoring "cost" (to Alliance)

Allies should willing to trust
USG leadership
central control
judgment
priorities
threats

like those now (Kremlin) (gesture? 3-23-09)
who believe / act as if "banking system is
sound," banks know what they are doing"
[and have at least best interests of
us, of system, of US, of world, of it
(not, necessarily,
this or profits and
protection from collapse,
blame, prohibition